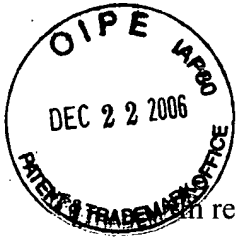


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Haupt Rainer

Serial No.: 10/798,203

Filing Date: March 11, 2004

For: SUPPORT ARM FOR A CEILING
HOLDER FOR AN X-RAY SOURCE

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) Examiner: Kao, Chih Cheng G.
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) Group Art Unit: 2882
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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to Office Action dated September 19, 2006 for a period of one month.

☒ Applicant:

☐ claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.

☒ is other than small entity.

	<u>Extension Months</u>	<u>Other Than Small Entity</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	One Month	\$120.00	\$60.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Two Months	\$450.00	\$225.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Three Months	\$1,020.00	\$510.00
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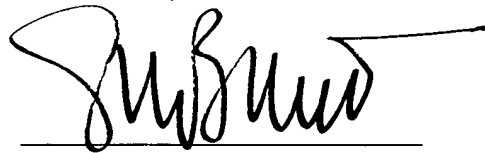
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Fee Payment

- ☒ Attached is a check for \$120.00 for the Petition fee.
- ☐ Attached is a credit card authorization form for \$_____ for the Petition fee.
- ☐ Charge Petition fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.
- ☒ Charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.

Respectfully submitted,



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Dated: December 22, 2006

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